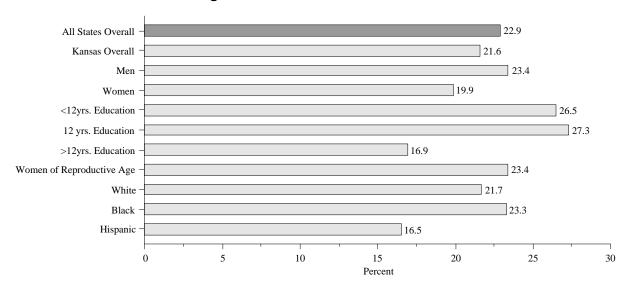
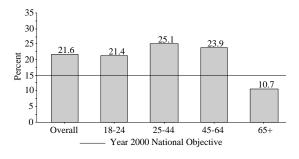
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# **Tobacco Use in Kansas**

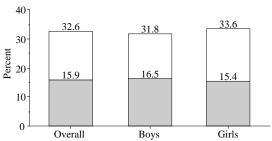
## Current Cigarette Smoking Among Adults Aged 18 and Older, 1992–1993



# Current Cigarette Smoking Among Adults by Age, 1992–1993



## Past Month Cigarette Smoking Among Youth, Grades 9-12, 1993\*



- □ Frequent Smokers—smoked 20+ days in past month □ Past Month Smokers—smoked one or more days in
- \*State specific estimates not available. Regional estimates provided.

# Health Impact and Costs, 1990

DEATHS RELATED TO SMOKING	YEARS OF POTENTIAL LIFE LOST*	DIRECT MEDICAL COSTS RELATED TO SMOKING		
Overall 3,828 Men 2,728 Women 1,100 Death Rate 300.8/100,000 Rank 6 (No. 1 is lowest death rate)	42,540 years or an average of 11.1 years for each death due to smoking.  *Calculated to life expectancy	Total	\$297,000,000	

# **Smokeless Tobacco Use**

Current Use Among Adults Aged 18 and Older, 1992–1993	Past Month Use Among Youth, Grades 9–12, 1993*			
All States 2.1%	All States 11.5%			
Kansas 3.2%	Midwestern Region 14.2%			
Men 6.5%	Boys 25.2%			
Women 0.0%	Girls 2.2%			
	*State specific estimates not available. Regional estimates provided.			



# However, another 435,600 adults in Kansas have quit smoking.

# **Tobacco Control Legislation, 1995**

#### **Excise Tax**

Smokeless tobacco tax:

10% of wholesale sales price.

#### Minors' Access to Tobacco Products

Minimum age for sale: 18

Illegal for minors to purchase, possess, or use: Yes

**Restrictions on Vending Machines** 

None

**Signage** 

None

Licensure

Retail license and vending machine license required.

**Penalties** 

Penalties to business owner, manager, or clerk. Revocation/suspension of license for violation.

## **State Preempts Local Laws**

No preemption

## **Advertising**

No restrictions

#### **Smokefree Indoor Air**

Site	Restrictions				Penalties	
	100% Smokefree	Designated smoking areas with separate ventilation	Designated smoking areas required or allowed	None	To businesses	To smokers
State govt. worksites			✓		✓	✓
Private worksites				✓		
Restaurants			✓		✓	✓
Day care centers	<b>√</b> *				✓	
Grocery stores			✓			

<sup>\*</sup>When children are present.

# **Tobacco Economy**

Tobacco Agriculture, 1994

Data points too small to be separately reported.

Tobacco Manufacturing, 1992

None

# **Tobacco Use Prevention and Control Program**

**Funding:** CDC IMPACT & RWJF/AMA SmokeLess States Program **Regional Network:** Tobacco-Free Heartland

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